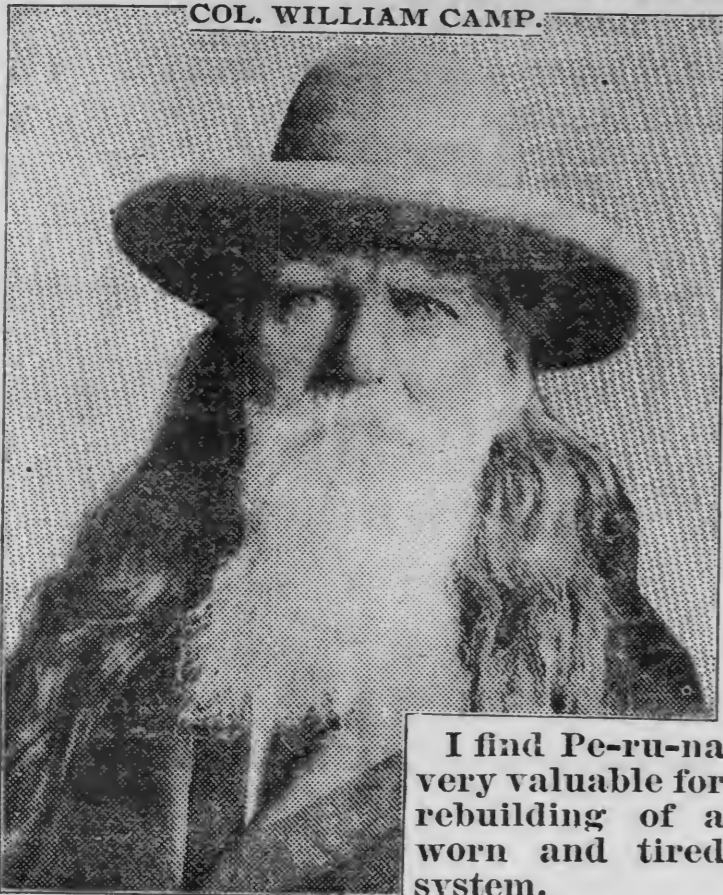


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### LIVINGSTON

Several of the people of Livingston were in Mt. Vernon Monday night to see "Union Depot". Little George Jenkins who was sick we are glad to say is well. Miss Carry Mullins, of Mullins Station is visiting her uncle, Moss Mullins. Mrs. Allen Mounce and Moss Mullins were called to Mid desboro on account of the death of Mrs. Georgia Mounce. She used to be Miss Georgia Smith.

### RESOLVES AT COLD STEEL.

"Your only hope," said three doctors to Mrs. M. E. Fisher, Detroit Mich. suffering from severe rectal troubles in lies an operation," then I used Dr. King's New Life Pills," she writes "till wholly cured." They prevent Appendicitis, cure Constipation, Headache. 25c. at Chas. C. Davis.

Through an advertisement in newspapers the heirs of Pres. Gr. in ex-Confederate soldier of Barrard county, have been found in West Virginia. He was a bachelor and went to that county in 1866 and by hard farm work accumulated a valuable blue grass farm and some money. He died last summer leaving a legacy of about \$12,000 to a brother whom he had not seen or heard of since the surrender at Appomattox. The elder brother has been dead five years but he left a widow and three children who are now on their way to claim the legacy. Press Griffin's brother was a poor blacksmith. Who says it does not pay to advertise?

### TO THE REPUBLICAN VOTERS OF ROCKCASTLE COUNTY:

I have this day announced as a candidate for the office of County Superintendent of Schools and believing that when a man becomes a candidate for office the voters of whom he asks the nomination should have an idea of the views of the candidate. Hence I shall give some reasons why I ask the nomination. I consider the office to which I aspire as the most important office in the county, an office which, if managed right can be made worth more to the people than any other office. What is worth more to the people of any county than the proper training and education of the young people of that county?

I know that to make the schools what the state intends them to be, must depend on the Superintendent and to improve the standard of the public schools the Supt. must be a real, live school man, a man who has studied the various needs of the schools and at the same time have the energy and ability to work for the betterment of the schools.

At the present time there is a great awakening all over the state for better or more efficient public schools and in order to bring the new School Law into popular favor will require careful management and a high standard of efficiency, acquired only by years of study and experience.

I have taught for a longer time than any teacher in the county and have an experience of eleven years as a member of the county board of examiners. I have done a great deal of County Institute work. I am the only member of K. E. A. in this county and feel that my training and experience fit me for the place.

I promise, if given the office, to be Superintendent in the full meaning of the term. My motto shall be better schools and square deal for everyone and shall devote my entire time to the upbuilding of schools of the county. I shall be a friend to each and every teacher and endeavor to make them my friends and by working in harmony with the patrons seek to steadily improve the schools. I know to do this will involve much work and possibly some worry but there is no other way to raise the standard. I am the only teacher of this county who makes a profession of the work. I promise that if given a chance to make a Superintendent that knows no pets or favorites, seeking only the improvements of the schools. I hope to see voters in their homes and give them my views in public between now and the election.

I ask at the hands of the voters that they each and every one as due their children, themselves, the state and also the candidates to study the needs of the schools to weigh carefully the claims of each candidate and measure the needs of the schools by the ability of their candidates and after giving the subject serious thought then vote the way their judgement tells them and I shall be satisfied with the result. Yours for better schools. W. R. DICKERSON.

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### LAND, STOCK AND CROP.

William Wood bought of J. C. Wood 5 acres of land and 2 houses in Conway for \$110.00.

Arthur Daily bought of Roundstone Land Co. 101 acres of finely timbered land near Conway for \$405.

William Wood sold his farm of 200 acres on Roundstone Creek to J. C. Miracle of Bell county for \$4000 and will move to Conway.

### PNEUMONIA FOLLOWS LA GRIFFE.

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SUPT. G. M. BALLARD

[From The Citizen, Berea, Ky.]

Editor The Citizen,  
Dear Sir:

Information reaches me that Mr. G. M. Ballard is a candidate for County Judge in Rockcastle County. Mr. Ballard deserves to succeed. He is a "son of the soil" of Rockcastle Co. By his diligence and efficiency he has made a name and place for himself. Starting in life as a poor mountain boy he made the best of such opportunities as existed. Exhausting the resources of the district school he determined to go further. Accordingly he attended school at Berea College from 1892 to 1895 fitting himself for any position to which duty might call him.

For ten years he did faithful service as country school teacher, there laying the foundation for the high office of County Superintendent, which he has most successfully filled for two terms.

Like other aspiring men Mr. Ballard has always looked to his own mental growth and advancement. In the midst of a busy life he found time for the study of law and in 1902 was admitted to the

Bar. Few men who aspire to office are better qualified to serve the best interests of the people.

In politics Mr. Ballard has always been a Republican. He has served in the councils of his party performing diligently and conscientiously the work assigned him striving to promote right principles and clean politics.

As County Superintendent he has brought up the schools of the County to a higher standard both in respect to attendance and efficiency of teachers. He has urged and inspired the teachers of the County to fit themselves for their profession by attending higher schools between terms and as a result few counties in Kentucky can boast of a higher grade of work done in the public schools.

Wherever he has been placed so far as my knowledge extends he has "made good" and here's hoping that he may again carry the banner of victory in his candidacy for County Judge. Respectively,  
J. W. Dinsmore.

### SPIRO

Mrs. H. G. Owens is quite sick at this writing. Born to the wife of R. H. Long a fine girl. Mr. W. M. Vauhook who is attending school at Berea attended Sunday-school at Freedom Sunday. Mrs. S. S. Padgett sold part of her farm to Burt Owens at a reasonable price. Mrs. Borgan Lewis will start in a few days to join her husband in Oklahoma to make her future home. Mrs. Martha Wells visited the family of J. A. Moore Sunday last.

W. H. Owens is on the sick list. Miss Helen Savers visited friends at Brodhead Saturday. Mrs. J. W. Dillingham who has been sick for the past few days we are glad to say is somewhat better. E. R. Gentry is at home from Louisville this week. Mr. Dock Owens of Brodhead is visiting relatives at this place. Rev. C. C. Metcalf and family of near Mareburg will soon move to the farm purchased from Jim Taylor near Bee Lick.

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### ROCKCASTLE COUNTY COURT

FEBRUARY TERM, Feb. 22, 1909.

At a regular term of this court held on the 22nd day of February, 1909, it appearing that a petition signed by J. C. Gibbs, A. E. Albright, H. L. Tharp, A. J. Pike, W. H. Sowder, A. J. Haggard, J. W. Hutcheson, T. S. Frith, John Robins, W. E. Gravelly and others was filed with the County Judge at the last regular term of this court, asking that a graded common school district be organized with the boundary as follows:

Beginning at Morris Frith's place on old State road, including it; thence crossing L. & N. Railroad at mile post 120 to D. D. Halcomb's, including his place thence to E. L. Harris' farm and including his farm; thence to B. C. Anderson, including his place; thence to A. J. Sutton, including his place; thence to E. Barger, including his place; thence to J. C. Gibbs, including his place; thence to W. E. Gravelly's farm known as the Bowers farm, including it; thence to J. W. Moore, including his place; thence to J. A. Hopkins, including his place; thence to Mrs. Anna Shumate, including her place; thence to the Lucy Newcomb farm, excluding it; thence crossing the L. & N. Railroad at Cummins Station to R. S. Martin's farm, adjoining P. E. Shivel, including said farm; thence to E. A. Cox, including his place; thence to J. W. Woodall's, including his place, thence to J. H. Jarrett, including his

place; thence to W. H. Albright, including his place; thence to J. A. Osborne, including his place; thence to the beginning.

And that the site of the school house of said proposed district be at Brodhead where the common school building is now located, which site is certified to be not exceeding two and one-half miles from any part of the boundary of said proposed District; and it appearing also that said petitioners are tax-payers, legal voters, and residents of the proposed Graded Common School District and of Fifth Justice's District of the County; and it further appearing that the County Superintendent has indorsed on said petition his approval of same, and that a majority of the Trustees of each common school district that will be embraced in said proposed graded common school district in whole or in part, have endorsed their approval on said petition, as provided by law; and the Court being sufficiently advised, orders that R. L. McFerron, the Sheriff of this county, be, and he is hereby directed to cause a poll to be opened and an election to be held at Brodhead on the 10th day of April, 1909, the same being forty days or more after the entry of this order, for the purpose of taking the sense of the legal white voters residing within the boundary of the said proposed graded common school district, whether there shall be levied and collected an annual tax of not exceeding fifty (50) cents on each one hundred dollars of property value therein, subject to State or County taxation, owned by white persons, and not exceeding \$1.50 of poll tax on each white male inhabitant of said proposed graded common school district over 21 years of age, for the purpose of establishing and maintaining a graded common school therein as provided in Section 100 to 130 of the Common School Law.

The officers of said election will also cause the legal voters of said proposed graded common school district to vote for six persons to be Trustees of same, in case said tax shall be approved. The officers of said election will make return, in due form, of the result of same, at the earliest day practicable.

L. W. BETHURM,  
Judge Rockcastle County Court

A true copy attest:

J. D. MILLER, C. R. C. C.  
By INA D. MILLER, D. C.

NOTICE—is hereby given that in obedience to the above order of the County Court of Rockcastle County, I will hold an election at the time and place indicated, from 6 o'clock a. m. till 4 p. m., for the purpose set out in said order. Those who may vote, are all white males over twenty-one years old, who have been residents of the proposed graded common school district for sixty days, and in the county for six months, and in the State one year, preceding the day of said election.

Dated the 22nd day of February, 1909.

R. L. McFERRON,  
Sheriff, Rockcastle County.

Modern business betters human environment, says Elbert Hubbard. It means gardens, flowers, fruits, vegetables; it means quick, safe and cheap transportation of people and commodities and messages; it means books, maps, furniture, pictures, play grounds, pure water, perfect sewerage, hope, light and love—because business gives opportunities for all to work, earn, grow and become.

Business consists in the production, transportation and distribution of the things that are necessary to human life.

Through this existence of facilities we educate the best that is in us; in other words, we get an education.

Inasmuch as business supplies the necessities of life, it is impossible to have a highly evolved and noble race except where there is a science of business.

The world of commerce is just as honorable as the world of art, and a trifle more necessary.

Art exists on the surplus that business men accumulate.

Art, literature and music subsist on the sufferage, patronage and encouragement that business men supply.

Business means taking things from where they are plentiful to where they are needed.

Business means making things that people want.

Business is a human service.

Therefore Business is essentially a divine calling.

Once men believed religion to be the chief concern of mortals here below.

Gladstone once said "Only two avenues of honor are open to young men of England—the army and the church."

This has been the prevailing opinion of the world for nearly two thousand years, and is one reason why the dark ages were dark. During these years of night the fighting man was supreme. It was a long panic, and human evolution was blocked through fear. The race crawled, crept, hid, dodged, secreted, lied and nearly died.

We now say that business is the chief concern of humanity. Business is intelligent, useful activity. The word "business" was coined during the time of Cnaucer, by certain soldier-iristocrats, men of the leisure class, who prided themselves upon the fact that they did no useful thing. Men of power proved their prowess by holding slaves, and these slaves did all the work. To be idle showed that one was not a slave.

But this word "business" first flung in contempt, like Puritan, Methodist, and Quaker, has now become a thing of which to be proud. Idleness is the disgrace, not business.

The world can only be redeemed through business; for business means betterment, and no business can now succeed that does not add to human happiness.

### NOTICE.

FOR RENT—Store house located in the center of Livingston, Ky., formerly occupied by Baker & Whitehead. The business heretofore has been \$10,000 to \$15,000 per year. This is a fine location for any one wanting to go into the merchandise business. For further information address.

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### BROWN MEMORIAL SCHOOL

Miss Lee spent Sunday at her home in Danville.

The Brunonian Society held the following Program last Friday afternoon

Song School.  
Recitation, In Memoriam, Logan Bryant.  
Essay, Longfellow, Chas. Beaty.  
Recitation Oyster Man, Lewis Miller.  
Valentine Observance To day, Lillie Woodall.

Music.  
Essay, Robt. E. Lee, Herbert Cox.  
Recitation, Annabel Lee, Lena McCall.

Reading, Lady Clare, Mabel Perkins.  
Recitation, Grant Mullins.  
Grandma's Valentine, Julia Fish.  
Essay, Daisy Fish.  
Extemporaneous Speech, R. H. Miller.  
Mattie Baker.

Debate: Resolve, That Convicts should be productively employed.  
Affirmative Negative  
Jesse Fish, Ben Griffin.  
Will Kirby, James Beaty.

The debate was decided unanimously in favor of the affirmative.

The Brunonian Society will hold a Washington program this afternoon.

## BLOOD

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The Ohio River passed the flood stage at Cincinnati. There is a heavy river above, except at Pittsburgh, where little damage is expected. The river it two feet above the danger line at Evansville and is rising at the rate of one inch an hour.

At Salem, Ark., while waiting trial on a charge of seduction J. W. Jones, a merchant of Mammoth Springs, was stabbed and fatally wounded by Miss Lizzie Kisse, the plaintiff in the case. Both were members of prominent families.

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7-1-09

Capt. Henry Waddle, with other detectives, are waiting in this city a few days before they go to Pine Knot to make an attempt to arrest Berry Simpson and others wanted by the United States authorities.

A forerunner was sent this week to locate the men and find out all that was possible. Capt. Waddle said to a Times reporter yesterday it would be no use in his going down in that county unless he knew exactly where to locate his men. The man sent out will report to Capt. Waddle and then he will know what steps to take.

It is reported here that Simpson with others, are hiding out in a cave near Pine Knot and will resist arrest to the last. It is said they are well prepared with all kinds of shooting artillery. Capt. Waddle and his men were to have gone Monday night, but Simpson got wind some way of the fact and they abandoned the trip. Likely as not a fight will ensue when they attempt the arrest. Capt. Waddle will take enough men to put up a good fight should it become necessary. —Somerset Times

August Belmont left New York for his place in Garret, S. C., for two weeks' seething there. Mr. Belmont has been greatly annoyed recently by false reports that his health was impaired



# FORMAL SPRING OPENING

We invite the men and young men of this county and neighboring counties to be at our store

**Saturday February 27th,**

When we will hold our formal opening display of Spring and Summer styles in men's Clothes and Furnishings. This event should not only interest the men, but also the ladies, as the styles we are showing for the coming season are the most clever, the most dressy and the most attractive we've ever shown; and we say with all confidence—the most splendid display ever shown in these parts. We particularly invite the young men who like extreme stuff and the more conservative men who look to quality and price. We can please everyone for there's not a better line of clothing made in America to sell at \$10 to \$30 than the clothes made by the Schwabs of St. Louis. They are on sale here exclusively.

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### PERSONAL

Mrs. E. S. Albright and children are with relatives at London.

C. C. Davis and F. L. Thompson Jr. were in Lancaster Monday on business.

Mrs. Harry McGee of Livingston spent Monday with her sister Mrs. A. B. Sparks.

Mrs. G. T. Johnson and children spent Monday and Tuesday with relatives in Berea.

Wm. and Bluford Bullock the Hansford merchants were in Louisville on a business trip this week.

Mrs. J. J. Smith, of the Hiatt section who has been sick for several weeks, is reported some better.

Mr. Frank Cottengim, of Pine Hill who has been sick for three months is able to come to town again.

Roy Mink, of Moreland, was the guest of his cousins, Misses Virginia and Annie Davis, from Monday until Thursday.

Estill Price and Henry Jones two popular young men from Louisville first section were in Louisville on the week.

Miss Elizabeth Fishback was up from Livingston, Monday having dental work done and to see "The Union Depot" played.

Mrs. T. J. Witt, of Kingston, Madison county and her daughter, Mrs. Sue Baldwin, of Oakland, Cal. have been the guests of Mrs. Sue Butner, Mrs. Witt's sister.

Russel Dillion and bright little son, Led McNeal, were passengers on Monday's train returning from London. Mrs. Dillion who has been sick for sometime is in London under treatment.

Misses Lida Cook Georgia McFerron, Dora Dickerson, Cora Wright and others were up from Livingston, Monday to see the play given by the Junior base ball team.

Our good friend O. V. Jarrett, who has been suffering from a severe case of eczema for several weeks, went to Richmond Saturday night, but returned Monday, the Richmond physicians giving him no encouragement. He will likely go to Hot Spring. The disease has spread all over his body.

Miss Bessie Miller is resting better this morning.

A. H. Hamlin is in Lafollette, Tenn., on business this week.

Mrs. Elizabeth Lawrence is very low and her recovery not expected.

Horace Benton has a position in the Superintendents office Etowah, Tenn.

Mrs. Susan Henderson came up from Parksville yesterday to see her sister, Mrs. Lawrence.

Dr. P. Benton has been very seriously ill since last Saturday. His condition is serious.

Atty. John W. Brown spent a few days in the Lebanon Infirmary this week, under treatment of Dr. McCord.

### LOCAL

Round trip tickets to Louisville, will be on sale April, 12 to 24 limited to April 26, for \$4.00 round trip.

"Breaking His Bonds", a Drama in four acts, at Court House March 12th, by Mt Vernon base ball team.

Just received a complete line of stationery. Acorn and Kaka linen pound paper, 25 and 30 cents.

CHAS. C. DAVIS.

Mrs. Joe Hansel, aged about 55 years, died yesterday morning after an illness of only a few days. We did not learn the cause of her death.

Marriage license was issued Wednesday to Mr. Archie Hayes and Miss Maggie Taylor. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Taylor, of the Quail section.

"Union Depot", presented at the Court House last Monday evening was well received by the large audience, who witnessed the performance. Fifty characters were represented and each and every one did well his or her part. Miss Ida May Adams, under whose leadership the play was presented, displayed much ability in training the different ones who took part. The proceeds amounted to about \$36 which amount will go to buy outfit for the Junior ball team.

The Republican committee met Wednesday, and was called to order by Chairman, Judge L. W. Bethuram, who at once arose and tendered his resignation which was accepted. The name of U. G. Baker was presented and he was unanimously elected chairman to fill the unexpired term John Robins resigned as Committeeman in Broadhead precinct, and Charley Hurt elected to fill the vacancy.

The question of a manner and time of selecting nominees for the various county offices, was then considered, each of the forty or more candidates being called upon to express his wishes as to the manner of making a choice and the time. Without a single exception, every man asked for a primary, and with but few exceptions the early primary asked for. The larger majority asking that the primary be called for sometime in May, the Committee named Saturday, May 15th, as the eventual day.

New line Swan hats for spring just in. Greens are the leaders. We show the new things first.

FOR SALE—One saw rig, in good repair, two circle saws. Will sell cheap. W. F. WARREN. 2 12-31. Bromo Ky.

Pure blood Plymouth Rock eggs for sale. 60 cents per setting of 15.

Mrs. S. C. FRANKLIN Mt. Vernon Ky.

Stockmen say this is the time of year to care well for your stock. We have the kind of stock powders that give results. Try a package and see what it will do.

CHAS. C. DAVIS.

Geo. Furguson, our new marshal, is proving himself the right man for the place. George is trying to do his duty and if he gets the support from the citizens that he should have, will make a good officer.

We call attention to the announcement of Mr. Taylor Clark as a candidate for jailer, subject to the Republican primary called for May 15th. Mr. Clark is a successful East side farmer and one of the county's most respectable citizens.

R. K. Powell has sold his delivery wagon to E. B. Brown. Mr. Powell will likely locate on a farm. He is a good citizen and we trust that he will decide to remain in Mt. Vernon, as we always want the good to stay, and if any go let it be the bad.

Mrs. Drummond of Livingston entertained with a Washington Birthday party in honor of her mother Mrs. Clark of Knoxville Tenn., and sister Mrs. Phillips of Ashville N. C. The color scheme was red white and blue. The dining room was beautifully decorated with red white and blue carnations flags ribbons and candles. Refreshments were served in three courses. Those present were Mesdames. Sambrook, Clark, Quiggins, Phillips, Lemonds, Davis, Cockrell, H. W. Rice, C. E. Rice, J. E. Woodall, R. A. Whitehead Geo. Pope, Miss Cora Stark and Miss Jessie Bowman.

The members of the Durham Bottling Works, with one exception, are all heavy weights. Mr. E. D. Durham, of this city, President of the Bottling Works, tips the beam at 235; Mr. R. H. Durham, of Columbia, and J. W. Durham, of Greensburg, brothers of E. D. Durham, and stockholders of the Bottling Works, weigh 215 and 225 respectively. The jumbo of the Durhams, however, is Mr. Fred L. Durham, of Broadhead, a cousin of the above named, who will travel for the Bottling Works this season. He weighs 325 pounds. The combined weight of the four Durhams is exactly 1,000 pounds. The only small man connected with the Bottling Works is Mr. S. P. Thurman, Secretary and Treasurer, but he is only small in size, and what he lacks in avoirdupoise is made up in efficiency and hustling qualities.—Mirror Elizabethtown.

Have you seen the new Schwab clothes styles for men and young men at J. Fish's.

The wearing of the Green is the thing this Spring. J. Fish can fit men and boys in everything Green from hat to sock.

Do you like fancy cuffs on your coat sleeves? Then get a Schwab suit. Most all spring suits have fancy cuffs and pockets too. J. Fish.

Roundstone creek is on a boom this week. Mr. I. A. Bowman who lives near Conway had two good cattle drowned Tuesday night and had a lot of fencing washed away.

CLOTHES PRESSED:—Your clothes cleaned and pressed, while you wait and at a reasonable price.

W. M. MULLINS Mt. Vernon, Ky.

WEATHER BULLETINS:—Arrangements have been completed with the Weather Bureau for receiving forecasts daily by telephone from Louisville at 10 a. m. daily, except Sunday. Any telephone subscriber in our county can secure anytime after that hour by calling up their exchange and requesting the same. Bulletins will be posted at exchanges and the principal post offices where reached by telephone. This service was inaugurated last Tuesday 23rd.

REDD:—Dr. R. G. Redd, after an illness lasting more than twelve years, died last Sunday night at the home of his brother, Mr. Charley Redd, Crab Orchard. Dr. Redd, in his younger days and before affliction came upon him was a very brainy and active man and was a very Chesterfield in appearance. From the Montana Blue Book, we get this bit of interesting history regarding his life and life's work. He was born in Knox county Ky., August 16-1842; studied medicine in the Ohio College of Medicine Cincinnati graduating from that institution in 1869 and from Bellevue Medical College, New York in 1871; practiced medicine in Rockcastle county two years, when he entered the U. S. Army as Assistant Surgeon acting between times in Kentucky, North and South Carolina, and Fort Lincoln, Dakota, finally accompanying the Fifth Infantry to Fort Keogh in 1877. In 1881 he resigned from the army and entered the practice of medicine at Miles City Montana; was elected Mayor of that city in 1889 and in the first Legislative body that ever assembled in Montana, he was the Democratic Senator from Curtis county, and until force to leave his work because of failing health was an important factor in that new made state.

Returning to Kentucky about twelve years ago, he has since made his home at Crab Orchard with his brother and for many years has been almost as helpless as an infant. His remains were laid to rest Tuesday afternoon with Masonic honors in Crab Orchard cemetery.

Peace to his ashes, glory to his immortal soul.

Hot and cold drinks served at the fountain. Chas. C. Davis.

Tuesday night's rain was one of the heaviest ever recorded and much damage done all over the state.

J. M. Craig was in Lancaster Monday and reported stock sales good. He sold Chas. C. Davis' horse for a fancy price.

FOR SALE:—150 bales nice clean hay 50 cts. per bale; 60 bushels nice seed oats, 60 cts per bushel.

J. J. SMITH, Hiatt Ky.

WANTED:—To buy a good combined horse.

F. L. THOMPSON Mt. Vernon, Ky.

Mr. W. J. Sparks informs us that work at all of his quarries will start about the 10th of next month and that he will want all the men he can get.

The L & N will offer cheap rates for the Kentucky Educational Association, which meets at Irvine, Ky. June 23rd. Special rates will be given later.

FOR SALE:—2 good horses, 2 good buggies, 1 double set of harness and pole 2 single sets of harness.

AMOS W. SMITH Broadhead Ky.

Z. Emerick and John Houk, of Mareburg, are laying the foundation for R. L. Collier's new residence at Crab Orchard. There is no doubt but that it will be properly done. There are no better workmen than these two gentlemen.

Mr. W. H. Burton, Livingston's up-to-date marshal and special L. & N. detective, on last Thursday succeeded in locating a watch at East Bernstadt that was stolen one year ago and brought it in Friday. Mrs. L. M. Westerfield lost a \$250 diamond ring Sunday and he found the guilty party Tuesday in the person of a Miss Parker. He got the ring also.

NOTICE.

Pursuant to an order made by the Republican Committee of Rockcastle county, Kentucky, the 24th day of February, 1909, notice is hereby given that a Primary Election will be held on Saturday the 15th day of May, 1909, between the hours of 6 o'clock a. m. and 4 o'clock p. m. to nominate Republican Candidates to be voted for at the regular November election, 1909, for the offices of County Judge, County Attorney, Circuit Court Clerk, County Court Clerk, Sheriff, County Superintendent of Schools, Assessor, Jailer, Surveyor, Coroner, and one Magistrate for each of the five Magisterial Districts in the County aforesaid, and one Constable for each of said Magisterial Districts.

Given under our hands this February 24, 1909.

U. G. BAKER, Chairman, Republican Committee Rockcastle County.

A. G. LOVELL, Secretary.

WOULD LIKE TO SEE A GOOD ROADSCAMPAIGN.

[From Courier Journal contributed by Dr. A. G. Lovell.]

Some repetitions of a former article is unavoidable in this, but the question of better and cheaper roads for the general public, and for the farming class in particular is one that should enlist influential men in every community. The everincreasing traffic and the prices that farm products command are strong reasons why the country roads should have more attention. The constant improvement in service, and, at the same time, reduction of expense of automobile travel, suggests an exchange of commodities between communities that previously had very little interest in common. Moreover, it would in a measure make some communities more independent of the railroads and enable them to secure better accommodations at the hands of said companies. It would give an impetus to a kind of travel that would afford pleasure, be conducive to health and prove profitable in many ways. The question very naturally arises: "How are these things to be brought about?" I answer: "By a campaign of agitation and education."

If every county would select a short piece of road over which there is a great deal of travel, and much heavy traffic, and build it according to the latest and most approved methods, it would prove an object lesson worth more than volumes of theory. It has been demonstrated that the best country road consists of a combination of macadam and asphalt. "The macadam highway with a strip of asphalt in the middle" is destined to be the road of the future. But, you say, asphalt roads are too expensive; we are not able to build them! It is not so. The asphalt dressing will cost less than half the cost of the macadam. It consists of a fine-grain sand rock saturated with bitumen. This sandstone is crushed or broken to

the same consistency as the limestone and spread over the middle of the road, about the same depth as you would cover it with screenings or gravel to make it smooth. Heavy traffic will in a short time mix and grind this asphalt into the other stone. This soon becomes smooth and elastic, is impervious to water, and dust will not accumulate on it. Several of the States have enough native asphalt available to supply local demands. Kentucky is especially fortunate in that particular; some of her properties have been developed and have proven valuable, but she has many times more undeveloped properties of this kind than are now in operation. They consist of segregated lands in different localities, which makes an asphalt trust in Kentucky untenable and promises to better subserve the interests of the people.

Your correspondent would be delighted to see others take this matter up and inaugurate a "good roads" campaign that will help to bring our grand old Commonwealth to the front.

FOR SALE:—1 one story store house, 20 by 70 with an ell 12 by 14 and store fixtures. One 2 story frame dwelling with 5 rooms all painted and same as new.

About 1 acre in town lots. One good grist and feed mill in good running order. All located at Orlando, Ky. on the K. C. R. R. and is one of the best business points in the county. Will sell separate or all together. Terms easy. For further particulars call on or address

J. A. Wood, Orlando, Ky.

Mrs. W. K. Vanderbilt, Sr., has given over \$1,000,000 for the erection of four model tenements for persons suffering from tuberculosis.

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